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ARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1788.

VIENNA, *October* 13.

IT is at preſent reported that the Ruſſians have ſurpriſed the fortreſs of Oczakow, and made themſelves maſters of it, after loſing 800 men.

The Turks are within ſix miles of ina. In the Ukraine they have taken a tranſ- 200 waggons of ſalt, carried off the young and killed the reſt.

bear from Conſtantinople, that the 24th of ber was a joyful day to the Porte and the in- ts of that place. In the morning, they ſaw entrance of the canal, a ſhip of the line with colours, which the Turks eaſily took, it be- irely diſmaſted, and all the crew, conſiſting men, were made priſoners of war. The s immediately underwent a ſort of interroga- n which they related the misfortune which ppened to them. It ſeems this veſſel, which y is the admiral's ſhip, of 80 guns, made the ſquadron which ſailed from the Crimea ſe in the Black Sea, and attack the Otto- et. In the night of the 23d inſt. the Ruſſian n met with a terrible tempeſt, which diſ- them towards the Aſiatic coaſt, and deſtroyed f 50 guns, and moſt of the crew were drown- he admiral's ſhip was obliged to give itſelf he mercy of the waves, which had drove it as the canal, notwithſtanding all the efforts of to eſcape that danger; it had already paſſed the guns of ſome forts and batteries, when tain at break of day, perceived the bad ſitu- e was in; ſeeing it was impoſſible to eſcape ſhip by turning back, he reſolved to ſet t, and blow himſelf up with his people; this r, the crew oppoſed by force, reſolved ra- ſubmit to the Turks, who were running in to ſeize the ſhip. By good luck a little be- e tempeſt, the Ruſſian admiral left his ſhip t on board a frigate, that he might the bet- over the enemy, ſo that he was not among ſoners, who, they ſay, were treated with great y.

misfortune is a freſh proof, that as long as ians have no port on the Aſiatic coaſts, their ion on the Black Sea will be of no uſe to As to the reſt, this piece of good fortune has d the Turks for the miſchief done likewiſe by eſt to the Ottoman fleet from Oczakow, of four gallies and two ſhips of the line have much damaged that they could not proceed. ſtanding the joy the Ottoman miniſter has or the misfortune which had happened to the ſquadron, he has teſtified no leſs inquietude ate of his own fleet, which ſailed ſome days or the Red Sea.

LONDON, *December* 30.

xtract of a letter from Naples, December 1.

an nights ago, a conſiderable part of the top tremendous Mount Veſuvius was fairly ſwal- up in the mouth of the volcano; and to-day, aſtoniſhment as well as terror, we beheld im- quantities of ſmoke, blended with a pale- d electrical flame, iſſuing with an incredible rating violence, to the ſummit of the Mount During the whole of this ſtupendous phe- on, the ſky ſeemed to blaze with myriads of s; and long will it be before our apprehen- hall ſubſide about the effects in all probability xpected from this uncommon eruption."

w days ago a man went into an inn at Alton- and called for a pint of beer; ſome diſpute between him and Mr. C. the landlord, they th went to blows, and the landlord proving ous, the other reſolved to revenge, and hav- ticed 40 oaths ſworn by Mr. C. in the courſe quarrel, he ſummoned him before the reve- Mr. St John, a juſtice of the peace for the ; this worthy magiſtrate being determined ſuch offenders of the laws of God and man be puniſhed to their full extent, aſked Mr. If he ſwore like a gentleman, or a poor man?" hich he anſwering, "Like a gentleman, your ip!" "Then you ſhall pay like a gentleman," he magiſtrate, and inſtantly inſiſted on £ 10, five ſhillings for every oath.

t of a letter from a gentleman at Madraſs, to his friend in Scotland.

ll is quietneſs in this peninſula, ſo far as we are ſtand; ſhould Tippoo Saib become more ſerious ſtilities againſt any of the Mahratta ſtates, I venture to predict, that we will not interfere in quarrel, ſo long as the French remain ſpecta- nor is there room to dread that Tippoo can ill over theſe numerous ſtates, even diſunited as they often prove. I can aſſure you of one fact, that all through this preſidency, granaries are eſtabliſhed, and nearly filled with one year's proviſions for the whole inhabitants of the Carnatic. The laſt ſeaſon favoured this great plan of our governor Sir Archibald Campbell; it is already well digeſted. The old grain is to be annually ſold out, (unleſs a ſcarcity happens, which thoſe granaries are intended to prevent the bad effects of) and replaced by freſh grain, without creating any new expence to the company, the nabob and rajah having become parties to this ſcheme. The preſent ſeaſon promiſes ſucceſs to it.

"This, and many ſuch ſalutary meaſures, with an arſenal and magazine well ſtored, our troops well paid and appointed, the company's bonds reduced here from the diſcount of 40 to 20 per cent. and the nabob and rajah's regular payments of their khiſts and debts, will, in all probability, overawe the turbulent ſpirit of our faithleſs cruel neighbour, however much diſpoſed to diſturb us.—There is every proſpect that our worthy governor general will exert the great powers he is deſervedly veſted with, uſefully to the Eaſt-India company, and for the intereſt of the nation at large.—The late act of parliament meets with the approbation of all ranks here, a few intereſted individuals excepted."

CARLISLE, *February* 27.

By late accounts from the weſt we learn, that the ſuperintendent of Indian affairs has ſent meſſengers to invite the chiefs of the Indian nations in the northern diſtrict to a general treaty, propoſed to be held in May next, on the Muſkingum river, by the ſuperintendent and the governor of the weſtern territory, in order to ſettle all matters of uneaſineſs between the United States and the Indian nations; and it is hoped, as the meeting was firſt propoſed by the Indians, and agreed to by congreſs, matters may be accommodated and the peace of the frontiers ſecured, an event much to be wiſhed, as new ſettlements cannot with ſafety be made under the preſent diſſatisfied ſtate of the Indians,—whoſe minds have been kept uneaſy and inflamed by the emiſſaries of a certain neighbouring power.

PHILADELPHIA, *March* 3.

The following account of the reception of his moſt chriſtian majeſty's plenipotentiary is copied from a New-York paper of Thurſday laſt:—

TUESDAY, *February* 26, 1788.

CONGRESS aſſembled—Preſent, New-Hampſhire, Maſſachuſetts, New York, New Jerſey, Pennſylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and South-Carolina; and from Connecticut, Mr. Wadſworth, and from North-Carolina, Mr White.

According to order, the miniſter plenipotentiary from his moſt chriſtian majeſty was introduced to a public audience, when he delivered a letter of credence from his moſt chriſtian majeſty, of which the following is a tranſlation:

Very dear great Friends and Allies,

PARTICULAR reaſons, relative to the good of our ſervice, have determined us to appoint a ſucceſſor to the chevalier de la Luzerne, our miniſter plenipotentiary with you. We have choſen the count de Mouſtier to take his place, in the ſame quality. The marks of zeal which he has hitherto given us, perſuade us, that on this new occaſion, he will conduct himſelf in ſuch a manner as to render himſelf agreeable to you, and more and more worthy of our goodwill. We pray you to give full faith to whatever he may ſay to you on our part; particularly when he ſhall aſſure you of the ſincerity of our wiſhes for your proſperity, as well as of the conſtant affection and friendſhip which we bear to the United States in general, and to each of them in particular. We pray God, that he will have you, very dear great friends and allies, in his holy keeping.—Written at Verſailles, the 30th September, 1787.

Your good friend and ally,

(Signed) LOUIS.

Count de MONTMORIN.

To the United States of North-America.

After which he addreſſed congreſs in a ſpeech, of which the following is a tranſlation:

Gentlemen of the Congreſs,

THE relations of friendſhip and affection which ſubſiſt between the king my maſter and the United States, have been eſtabliſhed on a baſis which cannot but daily acquire a new degree of ſolidity. It is ſatisfactory to be mutually convinced that an alliance formed for obtaining a glorious peace, after efforts directed by the greateſt wiſdom, and ſuſtained with admirable conſtancy, muſt always be conformable to the common intereſts; and that it is a fruitful ſource of infinite advantages to both nations, whoſe mutual confidence and intercourſe will increaſe in proportion as they become better known to each other.

The king, who was the firſt to connect himſelf with the United States as a ſovereign power to ſecond their efforts and favour their intereſts, has never ceaſed, ſince that memorable period, to turn his attention to the means of proving to them his affection. This ſentiment directs the vows which his majeſty forms for their proſperity. Their ſucceſs will always intereſt him ſenſibly; and there is reaſon to hope for it, from the wiſdom of the meaſures which they will adopt.

To this ſolemn aſſurance of intereſt and attachment on the part of the king, to the unanimous ſentiment of the nation, and to the fervent wiſhes of a great number of my countrymen, who have had the advantage to be aſſociated in the military toils and ſucceſs of the United States, permit me to add thoſe which I in particular entertain for the growth and glory of thoſe ſtates. I at length enjoy the ſatisfaction of having it in my power here to teſtify the profound veneration with which I have been conſtantly penetrated, for a people who have been able to fix, from their birth, the attention of the moſt conſiderable powers in Europe, and whoſe courage and patriotiſm have aſtoniſhed all nations. —My happineſs will be complete, gentlemen, if I could ſucceed, by my zeal and moſt conſtant care, to merit your eſteem, your confidence, and your approbation.

The taſk which I have to accompliſh, appears to me to be the more difficult, as in ſucceeding a miniſter who held the place near you, gentlemen, with which I am now honoured, I am far from enjoying the advantages which he derived from his talents, his knowledge, and thoſe circumſtances which placed him in the moſt intimate relations to you. I will endeavour to reſemble him, at leaſt by the greateſt attention to promote and give ſucceſs to whatever may contribute to the ſatisfaction, the glory, and the proſperity of the United States.

To which the PRESIDENT made the following

REPLY:

SIR,

IT will always give us pleaſure to acknowledge the friendſhip and important good offices which we have experienced from his moſt chriſtian majeſty, and your generous nation; and we flatter ourſelves, that the ſame principles of magnanimity and regard to mutual convenience, which dictated the connexions between us, will continue to operate, and to render them ſtill more extenſive in their benefits to the two countries.

We conſider the alliance as involving engagements, highly intereſting to both parties; and we are perſuaded that they will be obſerved with entire and mutual good faith.

We are happy in being ſo explicitly aſſured of the continuance of his majeſty's friendſhip and attachment, and in this opportunity of expreſſing the high ſenſe we entertain of their ſincerity and value. It is with real ſatisfaction, Sir, that we receive you as his miniſter plenipotentiary; eſpecially as your character gives us reaſon to expect, that the harmony and intereſt of both nations, will not be leſs promoted by your talents, candour and liberality, than they were by thoſe which diſtinguiſhed your predeceſſor, and recommended him to our eſteem and regard.

The foreign miniſters, conſuls, &c. and a large number of the moſt reſpectable characters of the city, attended at the hall on this occaſion, and an elegant entertainment was given by the honourable the preſident of congreſs.

The following copy of a letter from the chevalier de la Luzerne, was lately read in the general aſſembly of this ſtate:

SIR, *Parit.*

I have received the act of the aſſembly of Pennſylvania, and the letter you have honoured me with, from which I learn that that ſtate has condeſcended to give my name to one of its newly erected counties. It is impoſſible for me to explain the grateful ſenſe I have of this diſtinguiſhed favour. Having the advantage of a long reſidence in Pennſylvania, I have been witneſs to all the acts of patriotiſm and valour performed in that ſtate, and which have ſo much contributed to the American independence.

I have had the further advantage of a perſonal knowledge of the different members of your government, and the opportunity of judging with what wiſdom, prudence and firmneſs, they have ſucceeded in eſtabliſhing one of the beſt governments in the world.

Lastly, Sir, my long residence, my inclination, and the honour just conferred on me, are the ties which bind me inviolably to the state of Pennsylvania.

Be pleased, Sir, to assure the illustrious body you preside over, of my veneration and respect; and permit me to renew the assurances of the attachment with which I have the honour to be, Sir, your most Obedient humble servant,

The hon. the speaker of the general assembly of Pennsylvania.

Annapolis, March 18, 1788.

THE public is informed, that, agreeable to a late act of assembly, an inspection house is now built in this city, near the water and convenient to a good wharf, the prizes are under cover, a good inspector appointed, and is now ready to receive tobacco from any part of the state. It is well known that Annapolis is the most convenient port in the state for bay craft, and it will be very convenient for those on the bay and rivers on the eastern as well as the western shore, to bring their tobacco to this warehouse for inspection, where it will be well taken care of, ready for a good market, and easily conveyed to any part of the state, to shipping. J. Jr. Williams 8 w

THE citizens of Annapolis are respectfully informed, that the subscriber has established a packet to ply between said place and Baltimore-town.—The packet will leave Baltimore on Mondays and Thursdays, precisely at 10 o'clock, A. M. and will set out on her return from Annapolis, on Tuesdays and Fridays, exactly at 12 o'clock, A. M.—The accommodations for passengers on board this packet, it is presumed, are such as will meet with their full approbation, and nothing will be left unattempted, to render their situation agreeable and convenient—for which purpose, he has laid in an assortment of the best of liquors, and will always have refreshments on board at a moderate price—All goods or articles sent on board, will be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose, and the greatest care taken in delivering them to the persons consigned—A bag for the reception of letters will be left at Mr. George Mann's, in Annapolis, and all letters will be immediately dispatched agreeable to their address, on the arrival of the packet at Baltimore.—The utmost attention will be paid to the time of departure at the several periods above mentioned, and no consideration will induce the subscriber to deviate from his purpose in this particular.—Every endeavour of his will be exerted to please, and every favour from the public, will be most gratefully acknowledged, by their obedient and humble servant, 1 Jo. White 11 JOSEPH SMITH.

ANNAPOLIS and BALTIMORE

STAGE.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform the public, and his friends in particular, that his STAGE sets out from Mr. Phillips's tavern in Baltimore, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at six o'clock, and from his house in Annapolis, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at the same hour, and arrives in each place to early dinner; passengers to pay ten shillings each: And as he has provided good horses, and able drivers, he hopes to merit the favour of the public. 1 WILLIAM CLARK.

March 15, 1788.

ON the petition of Amos Jarman, of Queen-Anne's county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the sixth day of May next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
10d 13/1 Reg. Cur. Can.

March 15, 1788.

ON the petition of Charles Allen, of Queen-Anne's county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the fifth day of May next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered, that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
10d 13/1 Reg. Cur. Can.

March 17, 1788.

ON the petition of Joseph Williams, of Kent county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the seventh day of May next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered, that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
10d 13/1 Reg. Cur. Can.

March 17, 1788.

ON the petition of John Clark, of Talbot county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the sixth day of May next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

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10d 13/1 Reg. Cur. Can.

March 15, 1788.

ON the petition of Benjamin Ricketts, of Caroline county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the tenth day of May next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered, that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
10d 13/1 Reg. Cur. Can.

March 13, 1788.

ON the petition of John Coulston, of Talbot county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the third day of May next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
10d 13/1 Reg. Cur. Can.

March 18, 1788.

ON the petition of James Thomas, of Dorchester county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the ninth day of May next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
10d 13/1 Reg. Cur. Can.

March 18, 1788.

ON the petition of Nathaniel Conner Brown, of Queen-Anne's county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the eighth day of May next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD,
1 Jol. Beltm Reg. Cur. Can.

March 12, 1788.

THE subscriber, a resident of Charles county, being unable to discharge the several claims now against him, hereby gives notice to all whom it may concern, that he intends to prefer a petition to the next sitting court of said county that may happen after this advertisement has been published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette, soliciting the benefit of an act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors. 10d 13/1 WILLIAM W. THOMAS.

March 12, 1788.

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March 8, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, being unable to discharge his debts, means to apply to the justices of Charles county court, in April next, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors. 1 10d 7/6 JOHN MANKIN.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away a few weeks ago, a negro man named MOSES, he is about twenty years of age, five feet six or seven inches high, and has a bend inwards in one of his knees, by trade a carpenter, and had on when he went away a grey fearnought over jacket, and blue half thick waistcoat and breeches, but may have shifted them. Whoever will secure the said negro or deliver him to Mr. Thomas Bicknell, on the Head of South river, or the subscriber, in Annapolis, shall receive the above reward, paid by 1 RICHARD MACKUBIN.

March 1, 17[88]

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber being unable to discharge his debts, means to apply to the justices of Prince George's county court at their next April term, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors. 1 Dr. Mitchell BENJAMIN GARDINER

March 12, 17[88]

NOTICE is hereby given to the subscriber's creditors, that being unable to pay his debts, he means to apply to the justices of Anne-Arundel county court at their first meeting in court after six weeks notice. 1 Wm. G. Brown JACOB PE[RIGO]

Worcester county, March 10, 17[88]

PUBLIC notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that a petition will be preferred to the next general assembly, to enable and authorize John Rousby Whittington, of the county aforesaid, to make a will to devise and dispose of the estate devised to him by the last will of his father William Whittington deceased. 10d 16/10

March 1, 17[88]

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the next court for Calvert county, for a commission under the late act to ascertain and establish the lines of two tracts of land in said county, called Garey's Chance and Fellowship. 10d 9/4 JONATHAN MORG[AN]

February 26, 17[88]

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to apply to Calvert county court, for a commission under the late act to ascertain the bounds and lines of a tract of land in said county, called Rattle[snake] Hill. 10d 9/4 JOHN T[AYLOR]

Bennett's Point, Queen-Anne's county, March 1, 1788.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of Richard Bennett Lloyd, late of Queen-Anne's county, state of Maryland, deceased, are desired to make immediate payment, and those having claims, are requested to bring them in legally proved, by the third day of November next, to the subscriber. 10d 13/1 JAMES HINDMAN, administrator

Washington county, March 3, 17[88]

THERE are at the subscriber's plantation near Hager's town, a strawberry roan horse, 14 and an half hands high, no perceivable brands, about seven years old, a blaze face, his near hind foot white.—A black mare, 14 hands high, about 9 years old, has no brand, a number of saddle spots on her back.—A bay mare, about 13 and an half hands high, has a small star and three white feet, long grey mane, about five years old. The owner or owners are desired to come, prove property, pay charges and take them away. 10d 7/6 THOMAS SPRIG[G]

January 4, 17[88]

Lands for Sale.

To be SOLD, at PRIVATE SALE,

THE subscriber's dwelling plantation, being of three tracts of land, viz. Godman's Chance, 104 acres, part of Middle Plantation, 116 acres, part of the Plains, 100 acres, containing in the whole 320 acres, situate on the Head of South river, in Anne-Arundel county, about 3 miles from navigable water, 11 from the city of Annapolis, 28 from Baltimore-town, 24 from George-town, and 7 from the inspection houses of Queen-Anne, Taylor's Landing and Indian Landing; this land is well adapted for Indian corn and every kind of small grain, and is equal to none for tobacco; the corn land is divided into three equal divisions, under a good fence, each of which at a moderate computation will produce 150 barrels per year: the whole is conveniently and plentifully watered; on this land there is one of the most valuable grist-mills in this county, on a never failing stream now in complete repair, being rebuilt within the last year, the is an overshot mill, and has full nineteen feet fall; there are about 12 acres of meadow land now in cultivated and mowed yearly, about 5 acres of which is timothy, under a good and sufficient post and rail fence, immediately before the door, and also more meadow may be easily made; the improvements upon it are, a good dwelling house with three rooms below and two above, with a cellar under the whole, kitchen, barn, store house, meat house, tobacco house, smith's shop and weaver's shop, corn house, stables, every other convenient out house, two very fine orchards, one of which contains about 250 trees, most of the fine black red-streak apple, remarkable for making cider of the first quality, together with an excellent peach orchard, and a number of other fruit trees, a garden well pailed in about 150 feet square, newly done, chiefly with chesnut pails. For further terms, &c. apply to w 6 THOMAS RUTLAND.

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February 14, 17[88]

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber being unable to discharge his debts, means to apply to the justices of Prince-George's county court in April next, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors. SAMUEL WHITEHE[AD]

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SUPPLEMENT TO THE MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, MARCH 20, 1788.

February 22, 1788.

ON the petition of John Hallope, son of Henry, of Charles county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the eighteenth day of April next, is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, for their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

Test. SAMUEL HARVEY HOWARD, Reg. Cur. Can.

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March 1, 1788.

ON the petition of Jacob Gibson, sen. of Talbot county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 21st day of April next, is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, for their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

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March 3, 1788.

ON the petition of John Williams, of Frederick county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the twenty-second day of April next, is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, for their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

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February 27, 1788.

ON the petition of Edward Spurrier, of Anne-Arundel county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 18th day of April next, is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, for their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

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* The above application is made in consequence of a very heavy loss by fire.

February 11, 1788.

ON the petition of James Kent, of Queen-Anne's county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 28th day of March next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

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Febrdary 11, 1788.

ON the petition of William Hopper, of Queen-Anne's county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 28th day of March is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

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ported in the last arrivals at this place, and for sale on reasonable terms, by the subscribers,

A QUANTITY of EAST-INDIA coffee of superior quality, tallow and spermaceti candles, Irish linens, at all prices, from 8d to 22d sterling cost, printed linens, German linens, brown and white rolls, osnabrigs, tickenburgs, Russia duck, gun-powder, &c.

STEWART and PLUNKET.

Baltimore, February 4, 1788. 4 X

March 3, 1788.

To be SOLD, at the premises, in Annapolis, on Wednesday the 16th day of April,

THE revenue office, with the ground it stands on, for specie, payable in certificates, agreeably to act of assembly, passed November session, 1784.

3 DANL. of ST. THO. JENIFER, agent.

February 14, 1788.

ON the application of the trustee and sundry of the creditors of George Sibbald, the tenth day of April next is limitted and appointed by the chancellor for the creditors of the said George Sibbald to bring in and declare their respective claims to the said trustee, that the same may be on that day liquidated and adjusted. And the first day of May next is appointed for the sale of the goods assigned by the said George Sibbald to, and now in the possession of, the trustee; due notice hereof to be published in Mr. Green's and Mr Goddard's news-papers.

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Saint Mary's county, near Leonard-town, February 19, 1788.

TO BE SOLD, at PUBLIC SALE, for ready cash, or on credit on interest, with approved security if required, on the 2d day of April next, at the dwelling of the late Enoch Fenwick, deceased,

SUNDRY likely country born negroes, some stock, and household furniture, by

3 X JOSEPH MILLARD, executor.

By virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas*, to me directed, will be sold on Thursday the 24th day of April, at 11 o'clock, A. M. at the dwelling plantation of Thomas Rutland, of Edmund,

SUNDRY negroes, consisting of men, boys and girls; an elegant chariot, with two sets of harness; a phaeton, with two sets of harness; a four wheel sulkey, an elegant harpsichord, a sopha and twelve elegant mahogany chairs, taken in execution and to be sold for the benefit of James Gordon Heron.

And sundry negroes, consisting of men, women, boys and girls, taken in execution and to be sold for the benefit of Bennett Chew.

DAVID STEUART, sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

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Britain's Bay, St. Mary's county, February 12, 1788.

LANDS FOR SALE.

TO be SOLD, 324 acres of excellent land, well adapted for Indian corn, tobacco and small grain, tolerably well timbered and exceedingly well watered, with good improvements, and is well calculated for a person in the mercantile line.

For sale, adjacent to the aforesaid tract, 244 acres of excellent land, well improved; application to be made to

3 JOSEPH FENWICK.

Frederick county, December 31, 1787.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber intends to make application to Frederick county court, in March next, for a commission to mark and bound a tract of land, called Locust Neck, lying in the county aforesaid.

4 X FREDERICK KEEFER.

February 11, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to apply to Kent county court to receive the benefit of the late insolvent act, after this notice is given six weeks in the Baltimore journal and Maryland Gazette.

4 WILLIAM BRADSHA.

Charles county, February 22, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given to all the creditors of the subscriber, that being unable to discharge his debts, he intends to petition Charles county court, at April term next, and take the benefit of the act for the relief of insolvent debtors.

4 FRANCIS IGNATIUS STEWART.

February 19, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, being unable to discharge his debts, means to apply to the justices of Prince-George's county court, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

5 HUMPHREY BECKETT.

Annapolis, March 4, 1788.

Arrived in sundry late arrivals, and to be sold by the subscriber low, for cash, specie or final certificates, viz.

A Few pipes Madeira wine, of a good quality, and fit for use,—will be sold by the pipe, quarter cask, or gallon. A quantity of Muscovado sugar and coffee, choice Connecticut pork in barrels.

The subscriber will dispose of what dry goods he has on hand, in lots, to shop-keepers or others, at little more than cost and charges; and will sell by retail at a very low advance, till all sold—for cash, country produce, specie certificates, or other public securities.

3 JAMES WILLIAMS.

January 16, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on Monday the seventh day of April next, an election will be held at the city of Annapolis, for four delegates to represent Anne-Arundel county in convention, agreeably to a resolve of the general assembly.

5 DAVID STEUART, sheriff.

The Commissioners of the Board of Treasury hereby give notice,

THAT proposals will be received at their office, till the 1st day of May inclusive, for the supply of all rations which may be required for the use of the United States, from the 2d day of July, 1788, to the last of Dec. 1789, (both dates inclusive) at the places and within the districts herein after mentioned, viz.

At any place or places betwixt York-town in the state of Pennsylvania and Fort Pitt, and at Fort Pitt.

At any place or places betwixt Fort Pitt and Fort M'Intosh on the river Ohio, and at Fort M'Intosh.

At any place or places betwixt Fort M'Intosh and the mouth of the river Muskingum, and at the mouth of the river Muskingum.

At any place or places betwixt the mouth of the river Muskingum, and up the said river to the Tuscarowas, and at the Tuscarowas, and thence over to the Cayaoga river, and down the said river to its mouth.

At any place or places betwixt the mouth of the river Muskingum, and the mouth of Scioto river and at the mouth of the said river Scioto.

At any place or places betwixt the mouth of Scioto river and the mouth of the great Miami, at the mouth of the great Miami, and from thence to the rapids of the falls of the Ohio, and at the said rapids.

At any place or places betwixt the mouth of the great Miami up the said Miami, to, and at Piquetown, and thence over to the Miami Village, on the river of the same name, which empties into Lake Erie.

At any place or places from the rapids of the Ohio, to the mouth of the Wabash, thence up the said Wabash to Post St. Vincennes, at Post St. Vincennes, and thence up the said river Wabash to the Miami Village before described.

At any place or places from the mouth of the Wabash river to the mouth of the river Ohio.

At any place or places from the mouth of the Miami river to the Miami Village.

At any place or places from the Miami Village to Sandusky, and at Sandusky, and from Sandusky to the mouth of Cayaoga river.

At any place or places betwixt Fort Pitt and Venango, and at Venango.

At any place or places betwixt Venango and Le Beuf, and at Le Beuf, betwixt Le Beuf and Presq' Isle, and at Presq' Isle, and betwixt Presq' Isle and the mouth of Cayaoga river.

At the mouth of Cayaoga river, and at any place or places on the route from Fort Pitt to the mouth of Cayaoga river, by the way of the Big Beaver Creek.

Should any rations be required at any places, or within other districts not specified in these proposals, the price of the same to be hereafter agreed on betwixt the Board of Treasury and the Contractor.

The rations to be supplied, are to consist of the following articles, viz.

One pound of bread or flour,
One pound of beef or 3-4 lb. of pork,
One gill of common rum,
One quart of salt,
Two quarts of venegar,
Two pounds of soap,
One pound of candles,
} per 100 rations.

The payment of the provisions delivered under this contract, will be made by warrants on such states as may be agreed on betwixt the contractors and the board of treasury, at the time of executing the articles of the contract.

2 SAMUEL OSGOOD, WATER LIVINGSTON.

New-York, February 12, 1788.

Forty Silver Dollars, or *Five Half Joes Reward*,

FOR apprehending one of the most unprincipled fellows in the state of Maryland, a dark mulatto slave named DICK, who absconded yesterday evening; he is about five feet eight inches high, well made and active, is about 28 years of age, has a scar by the right eye, which is very obvious upon examination; had with him an old turn'd cloth coat, jacket and breeches, yarn stockings, osnabrig shirt and trousers, a felt hat, a pair of shoes and steel buckles, with a few other cloathes, but if possible by any stroke of villainy to acquire more, I make no doubt he will effect it.—If caught great care ought to be taken to secure him properly, as he is master of such address that there is few people on whom he would not impose; he ran away about three months ago, and was brought from Red Stone, but I conjecture that he will now make to the eastern shore, or to the Delaware state, or Pennsylvania, or endeavour to get on board some vessel. I will give the above reward to any person who will put him in Baltimore gaol, so that I get him again, or in addition thereto all reasonable travelling charges when delivered to me in the upper part of Anne-Arundel county and state of Maryland.

12 CHARLES ALEXANDER WARFIELD.

N. B. All masters of vessels and others are forewarned harbouring or carrying him off at their peril.

February 19, 1788.

THIS is to give notice that Richard Tarman, jun. intends applying to the magistrates of Prince-George's county court, in April next, for the benefit of the act of assembly for the relief of insolvent debtors.

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By virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas* to me directed, will be sold, on Tuesday the 22d of April, at 4 o'clock, P. M. on the premises,

PART of a lot of ground in the city of Annapolis, with the improvements thereon, lying in Prince-George's-street, adjoining Dr. James Murray's, taken in execution as the property of Thomas Rutland, and to be sold to satisfy a debt due to James Little.

2 DAVID STEUART, sheriff.

Mount Steuart, March 22, 1788.

To be sold by the subscriber, on the 12th of April next, at his plantation, near South-river, at public sale, for cash or tobacco,

SUNDRY negroes, consisting of men, women and children, a few articles of household furniture, and a single horse chair with a top.

2 WILLIAM STEUART.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC or PRIVATE SALE, on the first day of April next,

A TRACT of land, about 200 acres, lying in the Swamp, well timbered and in good repair, with two dwelling houses, kitchens, tobacco-houses, and several more very useful houses, with three good apple orchards, lays very convenient for fishing, fowling, oystering &c. none better in that settlement; likewise very good range for cattle of all kind. Terms will be made known on the day of sale, by me

2 RICHARD GOTT.

February 6th, 1788.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Thursday the third day of April next, at the late dwelling of Mr. Gilbert Ireland, deceased, near the mouth of Lyon's creek, in Calvert county, for ready money only,

ALL the property belonging to the estate of the aforesaid deceased, consisting of a few negroes, some stock, household furniture, and plantation utensils.

2 REZIN ESTEP, administrator.

March 21, 1788.

THE subscriber has just received an assortment of low priced Irish linens, printed linens, dowlass, white rolls, osnabrigs, silk and pocket handkerchiefs, stockings, &c. with a great variety of gilt and plated coat buttons, fine razors and razor cases, shaving boxes, &c. Spermaceti candles, and many other articles, too tedious to mention, which he will sell at a low advance, for cash.

2 STEPHEN CLARK.

March 9, 1788.

THE honourable the chancellor of Maryland having appointed the subscribers trustees for the creditors of William Logan, of the city of Annapolis; in order to enable us to execute the said trust, notice is hereby given, that all persons indebted to the said William Logan make immediate payment, and those who have any demands are requested to produce the same, that a just and proper dividend may be made, and the business closed as soon as possible.

To be sold, on Tuesday the 20th of May next, at two o'clock, P. M. on the premises, a lot of ground in the city of Annapolis, known and distinguished on the plot of said city by No. 31, with the following improvements thereon:

A wharf 130 feet front, with 12 feet water, and 350 feet deep, a brick house two stories high, with a kitchen and cellar under the whole, and a framed blacksmith's shop. Also a lot on Cornhill-street with a framed house thereon, and all the household furniture of the said William Logan, consisting of feather beds, tables, chairs and kitchen furniture.

2 ALLEN QUYNN, DAVID GEDDES, } trustees.

March 10, 1788.

ON the petition of Thomas Meeds, of Caroline county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the 30th day of April next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

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March 7, 1788.

ON the petition of Benjamin Lane, of Anne-Arundel county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the twenty-ninth day of April next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

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March 6, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, being unable to discharge his debts, means to apply to the justices of Prince-George's county court, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

2 SAMUEL TYLER.

March 7, 1788.

ON the petition of Gabriel Lane, of Anne Arundel county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the twenty-ninth day of April next is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

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March 7, 1788.

ON the petition of William Murdock, of Montgomery county, to the chancellor, praying the benefit of the act of assembly, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors, notice is hereby given to the creditors of the said petitioner, that the twenty-ninth day of April next, is appointed for a meeting of the said creditors, at the chancery office in the city of Annapolis, and that a trustee or trustees will be appointed on that day, on their behalf, according to the directions of the said act; and it is ordered that this notice be published six weeks in the Maryland Gazette.

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February 23, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber, being unable to discharge his debts, means to apply to the justices of Anne-Arundel county March court, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

2 GEORGE DERRY.

Calvert county, March 5, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors of the subscriber, that being unable to pay his just debts, he means to petition the justices of Calvert county, at their April term, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

2 RICHARD HINTON.

Calvert county, March 5, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors of the subscriber, that being unable to pay his just debts, he intends to petition the justices of Calvert county, at their April term, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

2 RICHARD HINTON, junr.

Calvert county, March 3, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors of the subscriber, that being unable to discharge his just debts, he means to petition the justices of Calvert county, at their April term, for the benefit of the act respecting insolvent debtors.

2 JAMES HINTON.

March 11, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber intends to apply to Anne Arundel county court, after six weeks notice, for the benefit of the act, entitled, An act respecting insolvent debtors.

2 JOSHUA INMAN.

Prince-George's county, March 6, 1788.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to petition the general assembly of Maryland, at the next session, for an act to enable me to collect the fees and other debts, which may appear to be due to me as sheriff of Prince-George's county in the years 1768, 1770, and 1771.

2 JOHN ADDISON.

VENETIAN,

WILL stand for mares this season, at Mrs. Disney's plantation near South-river church, at three guineas each mare, and a dollar to the groom.

VENETIAN is a fine bay, fifteen hands one inch high, with length and bone in proportion. He was bred by Sir James Pennyman, bart. of Yorkshire, and got by Doge, his dam by Jemmion Shaftoe Snap, sire to Goldfinder, Gnawpott, Dacey and other good runners, his grand-dam by old Fox. Doge was bred by captain Wentworth, and got by Regulus, son of the Godolphin Arabian, his dam by Crab, his grand-dam by Dycer's Dimple, which was got by Leed's Arabian, his dam by old Shanker, a son of the Dacey Yellow Turk, but of a daughter of Dodsworth Leed's Arabian, was the sire of Leed's, also Basto, Old Fox, and the grand dam of Childers. It is unnecessary to gasconate any thing in favour of the figure of this horse or performance, every gentleman that has seen him, thinks him the handsomest ever imported into this state. He covers two guineas lower than he ought, owing to the scarcity of cash. Grass for mares at half a dollar per week, but will not be answerable for escapes or accidents; no mares will be served, without the money is sent with them.

2 JOHN CRAGGS.

March 10, 1788.

Annapolis, February 25, 1788.

THE subscriber having empowered Richard Sprigg, junr. to receive the debts and settle the accounts of the late Doctor John Sprigg, all persons indebted are requested to make speedy payment to him, at Mrs. F. Bryce's, Annapolis; it will be rendered convenient to those residing in Prince-George's county, by his attending at Upper-Marlborough, at the April court next.

3 RICHARD SPRIGG, administrator.

Mount Vernon, March 6, 1788.

ROYAL GIFT and the KNIGHT of MALTA,

Two valuable imported jack-asses,

WILL cover mares and jennies at Mount Vernon the ensuing spring, for (on account of the scarcity of cash) three guineas the season, and two shillings and six-pence to the groom, for the care and attention to the females.

The first is of the most valuable race in the kingdom of Spain—the other is of the best breed in the island of Malta.

ROYAL GIFT (now 6 years old) has increased in size since he covered last season, and got a number of the finest mules in this country, and hardly a mare to which he went, missed.

The KNIGHT of MALTA will be four years old this spring, about fourteen hands high, most beautifully formed for an ass, and extremely light, active and sprightly; comparatively speaking resembling a fine courser.

These two jacks seem as if designed for different purposes, but equally valuable; the first, by his weight and great strength, to get mules for slow and heavy draught; the other, by his activity and sprightliness, for quicker movements. The value of mules on account of their longevity, strength, hardiness and cheap keeping, is too well known to need description.

MAGNOLIO,

STANDS at the same place for two guineas the season, and two shillings and six-pence to the groom. The money, in both cases, to be paid before the mares or mares are taken away, as no accounts will be kept.

Good pasture, well enclosed, will be provided at half a dollar per week, for the convenience of those who incline to leave their mares or jennies, and every reasonable care will be taken of them, but they will not be ensured against theirs, escapes, or accidents.

2 JOHN FAIRFAX, Overseer.

Prince-George's county, March 6, 1788.

The imported Horse

ECLIPSE,

STANDS this season at Collington Meadows, and will cover at two guineas and a half and seven shillings and six-pence to the groom. Those gentlemen who have mares to eclipse, may have them covered (on their own accounts) for two guineas and five shillings to the groom. Eclipse will cover at a shilling cheaper than any imported horse, that is come to hand. He is a fine high bred and beautiful horse, and may be seen where he stands.

2 THOMAS HARRISON, groom.

GODOLPHIN,

A high bred five years old HORSE,

STANDS at the same place, and will cover mares at the low rate of one guinea each, and five shillings to the groom. He is a fine bay, nearly fifteen hands high, and is bred from the best mares and horses that have been imported. Pasturage, three shillings and six-pence per week.

2 THOMAS HARRISON, groom.

N. B. Either or both of these horses are for sale.

Port-Tobacco, November 23, 1787.

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away a few weeks ago, a negro man named BOB, about six feet high, a dark mulatto, by trade a blacksmith, and is also a rough carpenter; what clothes are unknown, as he took with him a variety. When he speaks it is in a loud voice and very earnest; he has a scar in the palm of his right hand. He had in his possession a written permission, signed by Walter Pye, his former master, to hire himself wherever he chose, and with this and a forged pass it is likely he will endeavour to make his escape; he was seen at Annapolis during the last races, and went towards Baltimore. Whoever will secure the said negro Bob, so that we get him again, shall receive the above reward, on application to major John Swan of Baltimore, Robert Couden, Esq; of Annapolis, or the subscriber.

J. H. STONE, and Co.

N. B. All masters of vessels are warned not to take him on board their vessels.

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Newport, Charles county, January 23, 1788.

To be RENTED, or LEASED,

THE store houses belonging to the subscriber, situated as above, and within a small distance of a capital tobacco warehouse; this stand is adapted either for a dry or wet store, or both; the house is now under rent until the first day of April next, but I believe immediate possession may be easily obtained. For terms, &c. apply to

5 JOHN PARNHAM.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber intends to petition the general assembly at the next session, for a law empowering the justices of St. Mary's county court to levy a sum of money yearly for the maintenance of her son Ballekiah, who is insane.

6 ELIZABETH WATHEN.